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SUBJECT: MARRIAGE CASE-MENSHIKOV/CONLON

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1. SOVIET EMBASSY ON DECEMBER 7 INFORMED DEPARTMENT THAT MFA HAD CABLED INSTRUCTION NOT RPT NOT TO ISSUE MISS CONLON A VISA. ASKED WHY, SOVIET EMB OFF SAID MFA GAVE NO REASON, BUT ADMITTED THAT PROPOSED MARRIAGE WAS IN ALL LIKELIHOOD THE REASON FOR THE TURN-DOWN.

2. MISS CONLON PLANS TO ASK FIANCE TO TRY TO RESCHEDULE MARRIAGE FOR LATE JANUARY. SHE WILL REAPPLY FOR VISA. SHE ALSO PLANS TO SEEK SUPPORT OF A NUMBER OF SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN FOR INTERVENTIONS IN HER BEHALF WITH SOVIET EMBASSY HERE.

3. REQUEST EMBASSY RENEW INQUIRIES AT MFA, ASKING WHAT REASON THERE MIGHT BE FOR REFUSAL. ROBINSON

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